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4.—(1) The hon. Member is referred to the list of establishments of the Judicial Department. The Government have no other information.

(2) Yes.

(3) None.

*Abolition of the District Court of Guntūr.*

547 Q.—Khan Sahib Munshi MUHAMMAD ABDUR RAHMAN SAHIB : Will the hon. the Law Member be pleased to state whether it is under contemplation to abolish the District Court of Guntūr?

A.—No.

*Levy of pilgrim tax during Kotappa Konda festival.*

548 Q.—Khan Sahib Munshi MUHAMMAD ABDUR RAHMAN SAHIB : Will the hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether any pilgrim tax was levied by the municipality of Narasaraopet during the last festival of Kotappa Konda in Guntūr district;

(b) the amount collected; and

(c) whether any extra arrangements were made for the comforts of the pilgrims?

A.—No pilgrim tax was levied by the municipality of Narasaraopet during the last Kotappa Konda festival in Guntūr district.

*Agricultural farm at Lam in the Guntūr district.*

549 Q.—Khan Sahib Munshi MUHAMMAD ABDUR RAHMAN SAHIB : Will the hon. the Minister for Development be pleased to state—

(a) whether any agricultural farm has been opened at Lam in the Guntūr district;

(b) what the amount spent up to date on this account is; and

(c) whether the ryots have appreciated the opening of this farm at Lam?

A.—(a) The opening of a farm was sanctioned by Government in May last.

(b) The Government have no information.

(c) The farm has only been opened very recently. It is too early for the ryots to appreciate the actual work of the farm. But the hon. Member is referred to the following extract from the address presented to His Excellency in July last by the Guntūr District Board:—

“We are thankful to Your Excellency for starting through your Minister for Agriculture an agricultural farm, a long-felt need, at Lam in this district and we expect the development of our tobacco and cotton crops will now proceed apace.”

*The Madras Medical College.*

550 Q.—Khan Sahib Munshi MUHAMMAD ABDUR RAHMAN SAHIB : Will the hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government be pleased to place on the table the information said to have been called for in the answer to my question No. 212 regarding the Madras Medical College asked at the meeting of the 14th September 1922, if received?